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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants:	Christopher W. Blackburn et al.	Examiner:	Omkar Deodhar
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Title:	PROGRESSIVE SERVICE IN A SERVICE-ORIENTED GAMING NETWORK ENVIRONMENT		

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**REINSTATEMENT OF NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1), Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated June 3, 2010 of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-46 of the above-identified patent application.

Pursuant to MPEP § 1204.01, it is believed that the Notice of Appeal fees previously paid by Appellant with the Notice of Appeal filed March 12, 2009 will be applied to this Notice of Appeal reinstatement. However, if the Commissioner determines that additional fees are required, please charge the Notice of Appeal fee, as well as any additional required fees, to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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